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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Ward S. Titus, John G. Kenney, Jr.

Application No.: 10/786,247

Group No.: 2816

Filed: 02/25/2004

Examiner: Wells

For: An Improved MOS Varactor For LC VCOs

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

- Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

- Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

- The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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INDEP.	2	-	3	=	0	x	\$	200.00 = \$ 0.00
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							TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	\$ 0.00

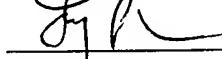
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FEE DEFICIENCY

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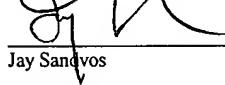
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Response A

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed on August 23, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.